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| For: INTEGRATED, CONTINUOUS METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF MOLECULAR | |) | |
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed March 24, 2008, please amend the application as follows, and reconsider the application in view of the following remarks.

It is not believed that any extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required. However, if such extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-5029 (Ref. No. 18744-0029).

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted electronically, addressed to: Mail Stop: AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 22, 2008.

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